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From The First assistant to the Resident in Mysore

No. 3299 Dated 2.6.11 Received 2.6.11

Diary No. 7793 Enclos. Spare Copies Serial No. 7

Brief Abstract of Letter.

Forwards copy of letter received from Govt of Bombay stating that there is no enactment in force in the Bombay Presidency empowering Govt to levy a railway or Tramway cess.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

This is a continuation of some information already obtained by the Residency for the purpose about the levy of railway cess by Govt Boards in British India. The

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	papers on the subject were formed into a filed collection & put up as reference with the letter from the President of the Bd of Chittaldrug soliciting certain instructions as regards the levy of railway cess. (D no. 7031. LS 3508-10) - 1. submitted for Secy on 24/III.)
	3 This may be filed, as the thanks of the Durbar have already been conveyed to the Residency for the trouble taken in obtaining the information.
	4 Submitted for orders.
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FROM

P. B. WARBURTON, Esq., I. C. S.,
FIRST ASSISTANT TO THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To

The Dewan of Mysore.

Dated Bangalore, 20 June 1911.

SIR,

In continuation of this office letter No.2163, dated the 10th April 1911, I am directed to forward, herewith, a copy of a letter No.540, dated the 16th/24th May 1911, from the Government of Bombay, stating that there is no enactment in force in the Bombay Presidency empowering District Boards to levy a Railway or Tramway cess.

I have the honour to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

P B Warburton

First Assistant Resident.

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1.6.11.

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Letter No.540, dated the 16th/24th May 1911, from the Secretary to the Government of Bombay, Public Works Department, to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore.

With reference to your letter No.1277, dated the 28th February 1911, I am directed to state that there is no enactment in force in this Presidency empowering District Local Boards to levy a Railway or Tramway cess.

2. With reference to the communications* of the Government of India noted in the margin, Government proposed in 1906 to initiate legislation to enable District Local Boards in this Presidency to levy a Railroad and Tramway cess, not exceeding half an anna for every rupee of land revenue, to be devoted to the construction of, and for meeting any liability under a guarantee of interest on capital expended on local railwoads or tramways. The Government of India, however, intimated that they had decided not to pursue, for the time being, the proposal to empower District Local Boards in Provinces other than Madras, to levy a special Railway or Tramway cess, and accordingly advised this Government to abandon the proposed legislation.

(i) Govt: of India, P.W.D.Rys. No.21-R.P., dated 5.2.02.

(ii) Govt. of India, P.W.D.Rys. No.91.R.P., dated 2.7.04.

3. I am to add that Government have now under consideration a revised proposal to intiate legislation with a view to empower District Local Boards to guarantee, from their general resources (without the levy of a special Railway or Tramway cess), interest on capital expended on the construction of local feeder Railways or Tramways.

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R.S. Tennant Asst

Registrar,

Mysore Resident's Office.